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COUNTRY	Hungary	REPORT				
SUBJECT	Metal Goods and Machine Tool Factory, Budapest	DATE DISTR.		6 October 1953		
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- The smeltery and machine shop of the Metal Goods and Machine Tool Factory, Soroksari ut 158, Budapest IX, is entirely staffed by Hungarians. There is an office staff of 10-15 and about 80 workers. Office employees receive regular salaries but the workers are paid according to piece work and have to fulfil norms.
- 2. The smeltery is equipped with a mechanized foundry from which pig iron and baras (sic) castings can be made from scrap which is cut up by a machine on the spot. There are two furnaces, one electric and one coal stoked.
- 3. In the machine shop there are lathes, of up to 150 mm. diameter, milling and cutting machines, all of Hungarian make. There is no Soviet equipment. The products of the factory are coal mine conveyor belts, small centrifugal pumps, and small castings.
- 4. Scrap and coal for the furnace are brought into the factory by dump cars from the nearest railway station.

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